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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Sir:

This Amendment After Final is being filed concurrently with an Appeal Brief. A Petition for Extension of Time (one month) is also filed herewith.

Amendment to the Specification:

At page 11, lines 16 - 28, replace the paragraph with the following:

The microprocessor 150 senses when a mini-bar switch is attached to connector 54, and, in response, executes programming instructions to sense a mini-bar door opening. Such opening can be queried by using the hidden mechanical or magnetic

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